

Day Book is just a little more intelligent than those who are not.

They may not have any more intellect, but their intellect has been developed. So let's do something to assist to develop the intellect of our brothers and sisters of the human race.

I do not say that I agree with The Day Book in all things, but it is so far in advance of any NEWSpaper in Chicago, or elsewhere to my knowledge, that I ask you readers to co-operate with me, a reader, to assist as much as we can.—Clair Sabin, Cicero, Ill.

MORALITY IN CHICAGO

Editor Day Book:—I wish to touch on a question I saw in The Day Book a short time ago, where a brother "wood butcher" wanted to know how a man could get acquainted with a decent girl. I haven't any wife and babies, or carry any life insurance, so I can say what I please.

This question is like a chapter in the Bible. You can preach on it a thousand ways.

How is a girl going to get acquainted with a decent man? I suppose his idea was matrimony.

The girls are practically all decent, but to find the one that is suitable to each man, for a wife, is a question. As to myself, I am up against it. The one I want I can't get. The ones I can get, I wouldn't have, so there you are.

Now, I differ a lot with some people in regard to decency. There are any amount of girls that some call indecent that would make the very best kind of a wife, if they had the right kind of a man, because they know the ins and outs of the world.

You say, I wouldn't have a girl that had been on the streets. Well, suppose it wasn't her choice, but she had been driven there by some cause, like any amount of them have. I tell you if this low wage scale and bugaboo reform keeps on your decent working girls will be few and far be-

tween. The decent girls will all be those that live in high-toned neighborhoods, that come out of saloons at 1 a. m. and step into a cab that takes them home. Fine wife for a millionaire, but not for a laboring man.

This life is getting so swift that it's pretty hard for men and women to get mated just right. That's seen by the divorces applied for. There is bound to be something about the morals or habits of one or the other, or the man's salary, that puts a crimp in the deal.

If it keeps on a man won't even be allowed to look at a woman, only from a distance, let alone getting acquainted with them, decent or not. As the city dads are getting so nice they are passing ordinances to keep men and women from bathing together, sleeping, going to a shady hotel, and various things now. Next week there will be a law passed so that theaters must be one day for women and the next for men. Week after next there are to be separate street cars for them, and it won't be long till we will have to have a permit for everything we eat, drink or do.

And by the end of the year (some year) in this nice little moral city, there will be angels from heaven.

Who will want to get acquainted with the angels?—A. A. Stafford, 3726 Langley Av.

BANK EXAMINERS

Editor Day Book:—I would like to ask you a question: Who are those bank examiners working for, the people or the bankers. If these banks were playing a loose game six months ago why didn't they stop them then, or didn't they have deposits enough from the poor working man?—W. R. M.

Because of the shifting of the trade routes owing to the opening of the Panama canal, the possibility of a visit from the yellow fever mosquito is anticipated.